



## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Art Unit: 3639	Title: <b>USER OPERATED GROUP MACHINE TIME SLOT RESERVATION AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM</b>	

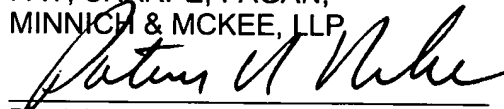
To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is Amendment A in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	14	Minus	20	0	X 50	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	6	Minus	5	1	X 200	\$200.00
TOTAL					=	\$200.00

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ Charge \$200.00 to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.
- ☒ Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a **one-month extension of time** to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Payment for the filing of the above-requested extension of time fee is authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. The appropriate PTO-2038 form is enclosed for this purpose. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge this extension of time fee to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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